

MARKED UP VERSION OF AMENDMENT TO CLAIMS

3. (twice amended) An isolated polynucleotide that specifically [binds the nucleotide sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1, 12 or 14, wherein said polynucleotide] hybridizes to the complement of [a] the polynucleotide of [any one of claims 1 or 2] SEQ ID NO: 1, 12 or 14 under the following stringent conditions:

- (a) hybridization at 65°C in a solution containing 0.5 M NaHPO₄, 7% sodium dodecyl sulfate (SDS), and 1 mM EDTA; and
- (b) washing at 68°C in a solution containing 0.1 x SSC and 0.1% SDS.